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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Hanna *et al.*

Appl. No. 09/030,832

Filed: February 26, 1998

For: **GABA_A Receptor Epsilon
Subunits**

Confirmation No. N/A

Art Unit: 1647

Examiner: Landsman, R.

Atty. Docket: 1488.0950001/EKS/KRM

Petition For Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1)Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for replying to the outstanding Office Action be extended three (3) months from September 4, 2001 to November 4, 2001 by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)) is believed to be \$920.00 for a three (3) month extension for a large entity. Fee payment is provided in our accompanying Check No. 33387. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

(\$1,240.00)

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/030,832
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Examiner Name	Landsman, R.
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayment to:

Deposit Account Number	19-0036
Deposit Account Name	Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox P.L.L.C.

- Charge Any Additional Fee Required
Under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17

- Applicant claims small entity status
See 37 CFR 1.27

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES
Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	920.00
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	320.00
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	130	123	130	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	481	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370
106	330	206	165
107	510	207	255
108	740	208	370
114	160	214	80
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)			

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Extra	Fee from below	Fee Paid	
Total Claims	- 20** =	X =	
Indep. Claims	- 3** =	X =	
Multiple Dependent		=	
Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
103	18	203	9
102	84	202	42
104	280	204	140
108	84	209	42
110	18	210	9
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)			

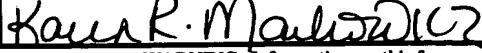
** or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 1,240.00)

SUBMITTED BY

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